

SUIT TO BREAK TRUST GOES TO SUPREME COURT

Questions of Importance Are Brought Out in Final Argument; Decision Awaited

Several questions of interest, each having a vital bearing on the suit brought by Delegate Kuhio to break the trust in which the property of Queen Liliuokalani is held, which were argued last Thursday, doubtless will be answered in the decision of the supreme court. The justices have taken the questions under advisement and their decision is expected within a short time.

One of the questions brought up in argument is the correctness of the contention of the queen's counsel that the question of the queen's mental competency to conduct her own defense is a matter which must be decided preliminarily.

Another question is whether Circuit Judge Stuart was correct in shutting out the queen from taking any part in the control of her own defense in the suit. Argument also was had on the question of whether Delegate Kuhio, as the sole party plaintiff, is entitled to maintain the suit, the contention of the respondents being that, according to the statements in his own petition, he has no interest in the matter other than that of a possible heir.

MEET ME AT HEINIE'S TONIGHT

Hark, ye pleasure lovers! Ditch dull care and tie yourself and all your friends out to Heinie's Tavern tonight. That's where everybody is gay and happy and a jolly good time is assured. Fill yourselves with a splendid feed and dance the light fantastic and hear Miss Kyra Gibbons sing her catchy songs—and you'll be glad you come.—Adv.

FILTERING PLANT IN USE, OTHERWISE ARTICLE CORRECT

WAILUKU, Maui, Aug. 4.—A story that would have been true had it been published about two years ago, got into print in Honolulu this week to the effect that the Paumotu plantation was to start work at once upon a system of filter beds for supplying drinking water to the various camps at a cost of \$150,000. The truth of the matter is that these great filters, covering several acres of ground, and of the most modern and scientific construction, were finished some six months ago, and since that time most of the plantation camps have been connected to the new supply. Within another month or two this work will have been completed.

That the improvement has already been of greatest value is evidenced by the fact that this year there has been almost no typhoid fever on the Paumotu plantation, where in former years it was prevalent.

James Namahu Paoa, who died Thursday, will be buried this afternoon in the Paea cemetery. Services are to be at the home on Hart street, Kapiolani tract, Kalihi. The deceased drove a hack in Honolulu and was born on this island 39 years ago. He leaves a wife.

HUNTING THE ELUSIVE SUBMARINE



ALLEGED GERMAN DESERTED FROM INTERNED SHIP

On Complaint of Consul Rodiek Herman Eck is Arrested By U. S. Officials

Herman Eck was arrested by federal authorities today on a charge of having deserted from the interned German steamer *Holsatia*, on which he was employed as a seaman.

The arrest was made upon complaint made by Georg Rodiek, German consul for Hawaii. U. S. Commissioner G. S. Curry has fixed Eck's bail at \$500, but up to a late hour today the defendant was still in custody.

Eck recently filed in federal court his declaration of intention to become an American citizen. According to a treaty now existing between the United States and Germany, citizens of either nation are remanded to their respective consuls for deportation upon proof of desertion.

Commissioner Curry will hear Eck's case within a few days and, if there is sufficient evidence against the defendant he will be ordered remanded.

Striking longshoremen and detectives engaged in a pistol fight along the Delaware river front at Philadelphia with the result that two men were shot and slightly wounded and a third was beaten. Several arrests were made.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McEnroe, 1015 Pua lane, Palama, welcomed a baby girl Wednesday.

A patching gang will be put to work on Hotel street, Ewa Fort street, Monday.

A baby daughter named Kaiawe was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Ahina Alpa of Punchbowl street, near Allen.

A meeting of the Kamehameha Alumni Association will be held at 8 o'clock next Monday evening in the clubhouse, 1337 Fort street.

The funeral of Joseph Nailau will be held Sunday afternoon at the home, 843 Cooke street, Kewalo, and burial in the Kawaiahaeo cemetery.

Harmony Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, has a card party tonight at the home of Dr. Norman Fairweather of Waikiki, to which friends of the order are cordially invited.

The plaintiff in the case of Nettie L. Scott against Esther N. Pilipo and Elizabeth K. Pilipo, an action for covenant, has filed in circuit court a motion to amend her complaint.

The rooms of the U. S. engineer office are being renovated and redecorated. The drafting room is being painted in a white and green effect, while the other offices are receiving fresh coats of light green kalsimine on the walls, and having the floors done in an oak finish.

Ned Kamai, charged in an indictment with second degree burglary, pleaded not guilty in Circuit Judge Ashford's court today. The case was placed on the calendar to be set for trial.

Adjudged guilty of contempt Hira-ta, a Japanese, has been given until next Tuesday to secure \$250 as bond on appeal. Sakan, who also was brought into Circuit Judge Ashford's court on an order to show cause why he should not be adjudged guilty of contempt, was discharged.

Circuit Judge Ashford today ordered that a writ of habeas corpus be issued in the case of James P. Curran, recently convicted of assault and battery and sentenced to serve four months at hard labor in Oahu prison. Curran took the case to the supreme court on exceptions to the verdict of the jury. The exceptions were overruled.

Examinations for teachers' certificates were completed at the Normal School on Friday, a meeting of the board of examiners being held today. The members of the course of study committee will meet in the department of education, Judiciary building, at 2 o'clock next Monday morning.

PRICES MARKED UP WHEN STOCKS ARE IN DEMAND

Better Feeling is Manifested on Local Exchange and General Rise Follows

Following the general marking down of securities at the session on Friday the volume of transactions increased materially and offerings at lower prices were readily taken. All of such sales were at prices shaded considerably below those of Thursday but were inclined to rise above session quotations. This morning still better feeling prevailed following the advices which were published by the Star-Bulletin yesterday and further reports of a better sugar market in New York, and the result was a general marking up of quotations, both those resulting from sales and bid and asked quotations.

Sales between boards were 3440 shares and at the session 595 shares changed hands. Some idea of the gains can be formed from Oiaa which sold immediately after the Friday session at \$17.50 and at \$18.25 at today's session.

At the session Ewa sold at \$35.50, McBryde \$12.25, Onomea \$54.50, Kona \$225, Wailua \$37, Pioneer \$52.75 and Brewer \$21.25.

In the unlisted stocks Oil was again strong, 700 shares selling at \$3.32 1/2 and 1000 at \$3.35. Engels Copper remained at yesterday's figure, \$2.50, at which price 400 shares were sold. Other unlisted stocks were unchanged in quotations.

The weakness in Engels Copper is that of all other copper stocks, the threatened excise tax on copper where companies with a gross income of \$25,000 to \$1,000,000 would pay 1 per cent, from \$1,000,000 to \$3,000,000 would pay 2 per cent and with larger gross earnings 3 per cent.

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All stocks of sole leather have been commandeered by the British government.

Hear Dr. Brooks on "The Modern Idea" tomorrow night, Opera House.

FATHER IS SUED FOR ACTS WHICH ARE LAID TO SON

Local Statute Holds Parent Responsible for Negligent Deeds of Minors

Because a Hawaiian statute holds that a father is liable for all of the negligent and wanton acts of his minor child until he or she becomes of age, John Pele Kaio is named defendant in a suit in circuit court to recover damages for acts alleged to have been committed by his son.

The plaintiff is one W. K. Rathburn who claims that Kaio's son was responsible for certain alleged damages to an automobile owned by Rathburn. Kaio today filed a demurrer to the suit, holding that the complaint does not contain sufficient facts to constitute an action for damages.

Louis Banigan, attorney with the law firm of Smith, Warren & Sutton, declares that, as far as he can learn, no other jurisdiction in the world has a law holding a father responsible for the acts of his minor child or children. Banigan says that he may take action in the next legislature with regard to the statute "to remove any possible ambiguity," intimating that, in his opinion, this statute should be stricken.

POLICE COURT NOTES

G. Tsuru appealed his case when he was fined \$250 in police court on a charge of conducting a chefa game. Ishida was fined \$25 for having a chefa ticket in his possession.

The case of M. Hara, a Japanese accused of heedless driving, has been stricken from the police calendar.

John Silva, accused of a statutory offense, will be tried August 7.

George Peterson, who is said to have threatened a girl's life, must post a \$250 bond to keep the peace for a year.

Paulina de Leon and Gegeria Serano, two Filipinos jointly accused of a statutory offense, were arraigned in police court. Trial is set for August 11.

When E. de la Cruz came before Judge Monsarrat on two charges of first degree burglary he was committed to the circuit court. Cruz is an ex-convict captured recently by Captain McDuffie. To the detective chief he confessed to burglarizing several Honolulu residences.

Charged with picking pockets, Ah King was found guilty in police court and sent to prison for six months.

B. Abicio was fined \$20 in Judge Monsarrat's court for being at a



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gambling game.

Pang Chow versus Hoo Koon and Chew Pang, who were charged with cross-warrants of assault upon each other, were tried in Judge Monsarrat's court. Chow was fined \$15, Koon and Pang were found not guilty and discharged.

Nine Japanese were fined \$5 each for being at a gambling game.

For turning between corners with

his car. Sumida paid \$5. L. M. Morgan was fined \$10 for assaulting a Hawaiian boy at the armory.

Mexican authorities at Manzanillo returned all American-owned gold and silver bullion valued at \$500,000, which they had seized.

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Our Mr. Wall is just returning from a buying expedition extending through the large manufacturing centers of the East, where he has made a very elaborate selection of Christmas goods for our Holiday Shoppers. Some of these things have begun to arrive and they are wonderfully attractive. We will soon have them in our show cases, where they will be on display for inspection and sale. It is never too early to inspect these goods in order that you may get an idea of what you would like to buy for Christmas, and our sales force is always pleased to be of service to you, whether you buy now or later.

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